

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

The attached sheet(s) of drawings includes changes to **FIG. 4 to illustrate the memory and processor as required by the Examiner.**

Attachment: Replacement sheet

REMARKS

Claims 1-12, 14 and 15 are pending in the present application. Claims 1 and 9 are independent. The drawings have been amended. Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Objection to the Drawings

The drawings stand objected to under 37 C.F.R. § 1.83(a), since the drawings do not show the memory and processor recited in independent claim 9 of the present invention. This objection is respectfully traversed.

As the Examiner will note, FIG. 4 has been amended to illustrate the memory and processor as being a part of the controller (CON). Referring to page 12, lines 16 and 17 of the present specification, it is clear that the controller (CON) includes a central processor unit (CPU), a memory (MEM) and an input/output device (I/O) and the like. Applicant submits that the amendment to FIG. 4, which adds rectangles to the controller box to identify the processor (CPU), memory (MEM) and the I/O device (I/O) is not new matter.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that the drawing objection has been overcome. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of this objection are respectfully requested.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-12, 14 and 15 have been indicated by the Examiner as allowable. Applicant greatly appreciates the indication of allowable subject matter by the Examiner. For the above

reasons, it is believe that all formal matter have been satisfied in the present application.

Therefore, early allowance of the present application is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

All the stated grounds of rejection have been properly traversed and/or rendered moot. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider all presently pending rejections and that they be withdrawn.

It is believed that a full and complete response has been made to the Office Action, and that as such, the Examiner is respectfully requested to send the application to Issue.

In the event there are any matters remaining in this application, the Examiner is invited to contact Paul C. Lewis, Registration No. 43,368 at (703) 205-8000 in the Washington, D.C. area.

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